

Important Update on SEVIS Records and Ongoing Litigation

This is an important update regarding the current status of the SEVIS records and ongoing litigation that impacts your immigration status.

As you may know, the government is in the process of reinstating SEVIS records, a crucial step in addressing the issues many of you have been facing. However, it is important to understand that while SEVIS status is being reinstated, several significant legal matters remain unresolved. Here are some key points to consider:

1. **Ongoing Removability Issues:** Despite the reinstatement of SEVIS records, those whose visas have been revoked remain at risk of detention and then removal from the United States. This includes potential arrest, transfer, detention, and deportation. As such, this situation continues to be an emergency, subject to a Temporary Restraining Order (TRO).
2. **Retroactivity of SEVIS Reactivation:** One of the critical questions we are addressing in our litigation is whether the SEVIS reactivation is retroactive. If it is not, there remains a legal question regarding your status during the period when SEVIS was inactive. If this period is considered unlawful, it could affect your ability to change status and have other implications.
3. **Legal and Adjudication Impacts:** We are actively pursuing court orders to ensure that the termination of SEVIS records does not adversely impact any legal adjudications or result in negative treatment of students, employers, or educational institutions.
4. **Inconsistencies in ICE Positions:** The U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE) has taken inconsistent stances on whether a SEVIS termination constitutes a failure to maintain status. To provide clear guidance, we are seeking definitive court decisions or public guidance from ICE that clarifies their legal interpretation.
5. **Future Reversal by ICE:** Finally, we are concerned that just as ICE made these terminations without explanation (and the sudden reinstatement of some with no explanation either), they could very well do so again once the lawsuits are no longer a major headache. We want a court to bar ICE from doing this action again without following administrative law.

Our legal team is committed to ensuring that your rights are protected and that all necessary actions are taken to resolve these issues favorably. We will continue to update you as new developments occur.

If your SEVIS record has been reinstated and you wish to leave the case, we will refund your fee. Just email us and we will get that handled.

Please do not hesitate to reach out if you have any questions or require further clarification on any of these points. Please [click here](#) to contact us via our online form. Select "SEVIS TRO/Injunctive Relief Class Action Litigation for F-1 Students - Plaintiff Onboarding" in the drop-down.

Thank you for your trust and patience during this challenging time.

Best regards,

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